

FLORIDA SCHOOL COMPLETION

GRADUATION & DROPOUT RATES BY DISTRICT, 2005-06 SCHOOL YEAR

DISTRICT	FOUR-YEAR GRADUATION RATE	DROPOUT RATE
ALACHUA	69.8%	6.1%
BAKER	73.1%	3.7%
BAY	77.5%	2.0%
BRADFORD	69.5%	5.4%
BREVARD	90.7%	0.8%
BROWARD	67.8%	2.7%
CALHOUN	89.6%	3.0%
CHARLOTTE	78.0%	2.5%
CITRUS	73.2%	4.7%
CLAY	73.8%	1.9%
COLLIER	74.7%	2.0%
COLUMBIA	67.4%	2.1%
DADE	59.2%	6.7%
DESOTO	70.0%	6.1%
DIXIE	70.4%	5.6%
DUVAL	60.5%	6.6%
ESCAMBIA	74.8%	3.1%
FLAGLER	78.4%	1.9%
FRANKLIN	60.7%	13.3%
GADSDEN	43.9%	4.9%
GILCHRIST	78.7%	2.3%
GLADES	63.4%	6.9%
GULF	83.8%	2.9%
HAMILTON	63.2%	5.4%
HARDEE	70.3%	5.7%
HENDRY	72.1%	4.2%
HERNANDO	74.1%	4.9%
HIGHLANDS	69.6%	5.7%
HILLSBOROUGH	77.3%	2.1%
HOLMES	71.3%	3.8%
INDIAN RIVER	84.7%	1.0%
JACKSON	87.8%	1.2%
JEFFERSON	53.5%	7.7%
LAFAYETTE	81.7%	2.8%
LAKE	70.1%	4.7%
LEE	71.5%	3.5%
LEON	76.2%	2.3%
LEVY	65.6%	4.8%

LIBERTY	89.7%	0.9%
MADISON	58.5%	5.5%
MANATEE	76.9%	3.1%
MARION	71.8%	4.2%
MARTIN	93.2%	0.4%
MONROE	75.5%	1.5%
NASSAU	81.8%	3.4%
OKALOOSA	86.0%	2.2%
OKEECHOBEE	62.8%	6.0%
ORANGE	72.2%	1.9%
OSCEOLA	64.5%	4.1%
PALM BEACH	69.3%	3.0%
PASCO	74.4%	4.2%
PINELLAS	67.0%	3.0%
POLK	68.8%	4.4%
PUTNAM	76.4%	4.0%
SAINT JOHNS	76.7%	2.0%
SAINT LUCIE	72.7%	2.2%
SANTA ROSA	85.5%	2.3%
SARASOTA	79.9%	2.5%
SEMINOLE	83.4%	1.2%
SUMTER	76.3%	2.6%
SUWANNEE	65.1%	4.8%
TAYLOR	78.3%	3.5%
UNION	76.7%	2.6%
VOLUSIA	81.9%	1.4%
WAKULLA	77.6%	5.7%
WALTON	76.1%	2.6%
WASHINGTON	69.8%	3.4%
STATE	71.0%	3.5%

Source: Florida Department of Education: Education Information and Accountability Services
<http://www.fldoe.org/eias/eiaspubs/2006grad.asp>

EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT

County	Population 25 years and over	Less than 9th grade	9th to 12th grade, no diploma	High school graduate (includes equivalency)	Some college, no degree	Associate's degree	Bachelor's degree	Graduate or professional degree	Percent high school graduate or higher
Florida	11,850,782	650,647	1,175,182	3,619,623	2,428,871	997,871	1,936,734	1,041,854	84.60%
Alachua	123,926	2,367	8,967	29,191	21,630	13,733	23,136	24,902	90.90%
Baker	13,953	1,164	2,758	5,780	2,144	964	744	399	71.90%
Bay	107,367	4,484	14,491	32,659	27,281	9,159	13,942	5,351	82.30%
Bradford	17,883	1,301	3,319	7,179	3,509	1,073	907	595	74.20%
Brevard	368,934	9,767	32,683	103,476	84,750	39,654	61,885	36,719	88.50%
Broward	1,180,767	51,875	101,607	353,799	232,298	102,143	226,084	112,961	87.00%
Calhoun	8,884	1,140	1,602	3,427	1,648	384	415	268	69.10%
Charlotte	121,076	2,971	12,618	49,808	26,085	8,487	12,669	8,438	87.10%
Citrus	101,371	4,031	13,680	39,061	20,096	7,813	11,658	5,032	82.50%
Clay	109,191	3,908	8,668	34,567	24,046	12,178	17,786	8,038	88.50%
Collier	217,807	18,210	17,018	61,235	43,869	11,098	41,964	24,413	83.80%
Columbia	36,880	2,499	6,834	12,875	8,128	2,516	2,545	1,483	74.70%
DeSoto	21,222	4,121	3,615	7,497	3,470	740	1,100	679	63.50%
Dixie	9,643	1,085	2,203	3,798	1,594	312	357	294	65.90%
Duval	519,699	16,026	44,528	169,019	114,009	45,387	90,232	40,498	88.30%
Escambia	180,905	6,473	20,520	53,529	42,458	17,390	27,238	13,297	85.10%
Flagler	56,900	2,204	6,111	16,215	15,873	4,427	7,948	4,122	85.40%
Gadsden	8,202	664	1,939	2,983	1,326	272	513	505	68.30%
Gilchrest	28,932	3,242	5,238	10,384	5,153	1,171	2,314	1,430	70.70%
Glades	7,403	715	1,518	2,727	1,380	335	412	316	69.80%
Gulf	9,527	818	1,794	3,539	1,910	500	628	338	72.60%
Hamilton	8,758	921	2,330	3,073	1,405	393	452	184	62.90%
Hardee	16,509	3,956	2,985	5,200	2,485	497	910	476	58.00%
Hendry	20,551	5,109	4,311	5,977	2,829	630	1,236	459	54.20%
Hernando	114,865	4,453	14,846	43,242	25,522	8,373	12,037	6,392	83.20%
Highlands	69,174	6,426	9,584	27,411	13,432	3,271	6,057	2,993	76.90%
Hillsborough	724,504	37,176	77,663	209,134	140,791	62,561	130,701	66,478	84.10%
Holmes	12,659	1,507	2,897	4,782	1,898	459	715	401	65.20%
Indian River	92,369	3,909	9,131	29,563	20,184	7,539	13,594	8,449	85.90%
Jackson	31,771	3,554	6,253	10,383	5,896	1,611	2,506	1,568	69.10%
Jefferson	8,911	927	1,464	2,871	1,745	398	983	523	73.20%
Lafayette	4,745	598	910	1,904	785	208	211	129	68.20%
Lake	198,302	8,592	20,962	70,140	44,797	13,656	27,097	13,058	85.10%
Lee	388,684	17,876	39,296	129,273	84,571	25,715	58,615	33,338	85.30%
Leon	140,807	4,316	7,729	26,014	27,616	12,436	36,124	26,572	91.40%
Levy	24,030	1,740	4,531	9,183	4,857	1,166	1,649	904	73.90%
Liberty	4,828	477	1,186	1,952	712	145	193	163	65.60%
Madison	12,254	1,239	2,746	4,190	2,146	681	796	456	67.50%
Manatee	212,983	8,599	23,046	67,366	43,717	14,981	36,221	19,053	85.10%
Marion	210,560	9,111	26,017	77,805	46,303	19,324	22,605	9,395	83.30%
Martin	100,732	3,801	8,902	28,736	23,487	8,527	16,427	10,852	87.40%
Miami-Dade	1,527,842	184,303	176,216	413,241	245,778	123,336	241,468	143,500	76.40%

Monroe	58,660	1,292	3,347	14,604	13,784	5,672	13,344	6,617	92.10%
Nassau	38,972	2,196	5,202	13,415	8,319	2,476	4,809	2,555	81.00%
Okaloosa	117,440	3,910	7,514	29,436	29,996	13,953	20,679	11,952	90.30%
Okeechobee	23,388	3,439	4,722	7,925	4,243	971	1,423	665	65.10%
Orange	641,574	32,686	58,720	178,555	131,201	64,975	118,973	56,464	85.80%
Osceola	148,880	8,453	17,816	52,497	26,935	13,638	20,667	8,874	82.40%
Palm Beach	878,876	47,406	73,088	241,513	187,121	65,754	165,522	98,472	86.30%
Pasco	302,316	13,120	29,706	114,862	65,900	25,313	36,250	17,165	85.80%
Pinellas	659,010	21,373	62,155	192,524	150,669	59,506	115,741	57,042	87.30%
Polk	353,057	18,844	45,420	132,605	69,073	26,599	40,260	20,256	81.80%
Putnam	48,159	5,024	7,487	19,411	6,971	2,998	3,827	2,441	74.00%
St. Johns	111,464	2,201	7,703	25,520	24,584	9,486	28,725	13,245	91.10%
St. Lucie	164,741	9,318	18,701	55,316	35,865	14,540	19,952	11,049	83.00%
Santa Rosa	94,653	2,078	8,316	30,212	21,208	7,790	17,569	7,480	89.00%
Sarasota	277,148	8,844	21,310	85,202	61,259	19,745	49,659	31,129	89.10%
Seminole	264,766	6,988	14,337	68,933	59,624	26,708	59,909	28,267	91.90%
Sumter	41,509	2,539	6,897	16,113	8,869	2,011	3,194	1,886	77.30%
Suwannee	23,492	2,019	4,267	9,118	4,432	1,194	1,692	770	73.20%
Taylor	12,914	1,156	2,717	5,282	2,047	565	690	457	70.00%
Union	9,363	699	1,879	3,638	1,984	458	453	252	72.50%
Volusia	336,667	12,942	33,465	110,396	75,763	34,754	45,149	24,198	86.20%
Wakulla	15,211	962	2,324	5,316	3,319	897	1,539	854	78.40%
Walton	28,838	2,121	4,813	9,323	6,117	1,782	2,930	1,752	76.00%
Washington	14,338	1,724	2,403	5,562	2,759	566	818	506	71.20%

Source: US Census estimates for 2005